

REMARKS

Claims 38 and 39 have been amended. Claims 35, 36, 38-41 and 44 remain in the application. These amendments were not earlier presented but made to put claim 39 in form for allowance and for claim 38 to address the Examiner's comments in the Response to Arguments. The claims are believed to be in prima facie condition for allowance. Further examination and reconsideration of the application is hereby requested.

In Section 1 of the Office Action, the Examiner rejected claims 38, 40, and 41 under 35 USC 102(e) as being anticipated by Childers (US 5,992,990). The Examiner asserts that Childers discloses all the claimed features of the invention. Applicants have amended claim 38 to indicate that the first flow of fluid is "from a first valve" and the second flow of fluid is "from a second valve." Support for these changes are found throughout the specification. By having the fluid flows be through separate valves, the flow is through separate passages and not the same passage as the Examiner asserts for Childers. Applicants believe that claim 38 and claims 40 and 41 which depend from claim 38 are in prima facie condition for allowance and such allowance is respectfully requested.

In Section 2 of the Office Action, the Examiner indicated that claim 39 would be allowable if rewritten in independent form. Applicants have combined the limitations of claim 38, before amendment, into claim 39. Claim 39 is believed to be in prima facie condition for allowance. Withdrawal of the objection and allowance of claim 39 is respectfully requested.

In Section 3 of the Office Action, the Examiner indicated that claims 35, 36, and 44 were allowed. The Applicants wish to thank the Examiner for the

Applicant believe his claims as amended are patentable over the art of record, and that the amendments made are within the scope of a search properly conducted under the provisions of MPEP 904.02. Accordingly, claims 35, 36, 38-41 and 44 are deemed to be in prima facie condition for allowance, and such
5 allowance is respectfully requested.

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